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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Hong-Shan Wei	) Examiner: Fathi Abdelsalam )
Serial No.: 10/648,601	) Group Art Unit: 4176
Filed: 08/25/2003	Attorney Docket No.: US3654
For: PRODUCTION CAPABILITY SIMULATING SYSTEM AND METHOD	) )

Honorable Commissioner for Patents Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office action, mailed Apr. 28, 2008, in connection with the above-identified application, kindly amend the subject application as follows and consider the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.